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Docket No. NANP119US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT application of:

Applicant:	Kusama, et al	:	Art Unit :	1637
Serial No.:	10/826,119	:	Examiner:	Suryaprabha Chunduru
Filed:	April 16, 2004	:		
Title:	OLIGONUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCES THAT IDENTIFY SPECIES OF ANIMAL			

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the Advisory Action dated October 2, 2007, wherein claims 24, 25 and 35 stand finally rejected. A Petition for a One Month Extension is hereby made. Attached hereto is a credit card payment form to charge the Notice of Appeal and Petition for One Month Extension.

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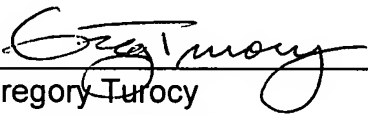
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Should the Examiner believe that a telephone interview would be helpful to expedite favorable prosecution, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

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Respectfully submitted,

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